

## Bylaws of the Administrative & Regulatory Law Section of the State Bar of Michigan

### ARTICLE IV ELECTION OF OFFICERS

**SECTION 1.** The officers of the Section shall be elected by the Council and shall consist of a Chair, a Chair-Elect, a Secretary, and a Treasurer, all of whom shall be members of the Council. ~~No person~~ Neither the Chair nor the Chair-Elect shall serve in the same office for more than one (1) year.

### ARTICLE VI DUTIES AND POWERS OF THE COUNCIL

**SECTION 6.** When an issue arises which must be determined and the Chair determines that the calling of a formal council meeting is not practical, the Chair of the Section may, and upon the request of any member of the Council, shall submit or cause to be submitted in writing via facsimile, e-mail, or U.S. Mail to each of the members of the Council, any proposition upon which the Council may be authorized to act. The members of the Council may vote upon such proposition or propositions so submitted, by communicating their vote thereon, by facsimile, e-mail, or in writing over their respective signatures, to the Secretary, who shall record upon the minutes each proposition so submitted, when, how, at whose request same was submitted, and the vote of each member of council thereon, and keep on file such facsimiles, copies of e-mails, and written and signed votes. If a majority shall be against such proposition, such majority shall constitute the binding action of the Council.

### ARTICLE VII COMMITTEES

**SECTION 1.** The Section shall have the following standing committees:

- (a) Program. The program committee shall be responsible for arranging educational programs and for the annual meet-

ing program. The Chair-Elect shall be Chair of the program committee.

- (b) Newsletter. The newsletter committee shall be responsible for Section publications. The editor of the newsletter shall be the Chair of the newsletter committee and/or a section member appointed by the Chair of the committee. ~~the Chair of the committee.~~
- (c) Membership. The membership committee shall work to increase both membership in the Section and participation in Section activities. The Chair shall be appointed by the Section chairperson after consultation with the Council.
- (d) Energy. The energy committee shall work to highlight the emerging issues surrounding energy and utilities development and regulation by staying abreast of trends, proposed legislation, and rules and changes in the industry and assist the program committee in organizing relevant educational and networking events.
- (e) Alcoholic Beverage and Hospitality. The alcoholic beverage and hospitality committee shall monitor and inform the Section regarding proposed legislation and rules and trends affecting these industries and assist the program committee in organizing relevant educational and networking events.

### ARTICLE VIII SECTION MEETINGS

**SECTION 3.** ~~Sixteen (16) members of the Section present at any duly pronounced meeting shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.~~ The Members present at any meeting of the Members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, provided that the Members have been provided with proper notice of the meeting.